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In re:

Applicant: *HOFMANN, Frank*

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action of May 19, 2008, and in support of applicant's Notice of Appeal filed July 8, 2008, please amend claim 2 as shown hereinbelow.